

Executive Proclamation

State of South Dakota

Office Of The Governor

WHEREAS, The Shrine of North America has been treating children, regardless of race, creed or color who have been crippled, burned or had spinal injuries in the United States, Canada and Mexico; and,

WHEREAS, The Shrine of North America at its 22 crippled and burned hospitals has provided this treatment along with a large measure of love, at no cost to the children or their parents; and,

WHEREAS, El Riad Temple, one of 189 Temples in Shrinedom, has provided transportation to more than 350,000 children and their parents at no cost to them; and,

WHEREAS, El Riad Shrine Temple will celebrate a 100 years of caring with a gala Centennial ceremonial on November 11-12, 1988 at the El Riad Shrine Mosque:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, GEORGE S. MICKELSON, Governor of the State of South Dakota, speak out and congratulate illustrious Sir Ray Ordinachev and the more than 2000 Nobles of El Riad Temple who have dedicated their time, money and effort to make a better life for these children and do hereby proclaim 1988, as

EL RIAD SHRINE CENTENNIAL YEAR

in South Dakota.



ATTEST:

Joyce Hazeltine
JOYCE HAZELTINE, SECRETARY OF STATE

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the State of South Dakota, in Pierre, the Capital City, this Tenth Day of November, in the Year of Our Lord, Nineteen Hundred and Eighty-Eight

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "GEORGE S. MICKELSON".

GEORGE S. MICKELSON, GOVERNOR